

Memo

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RE: Maps Showing Minority and Low-Income Census Block Groups in Nevada and Greater Las Vegas

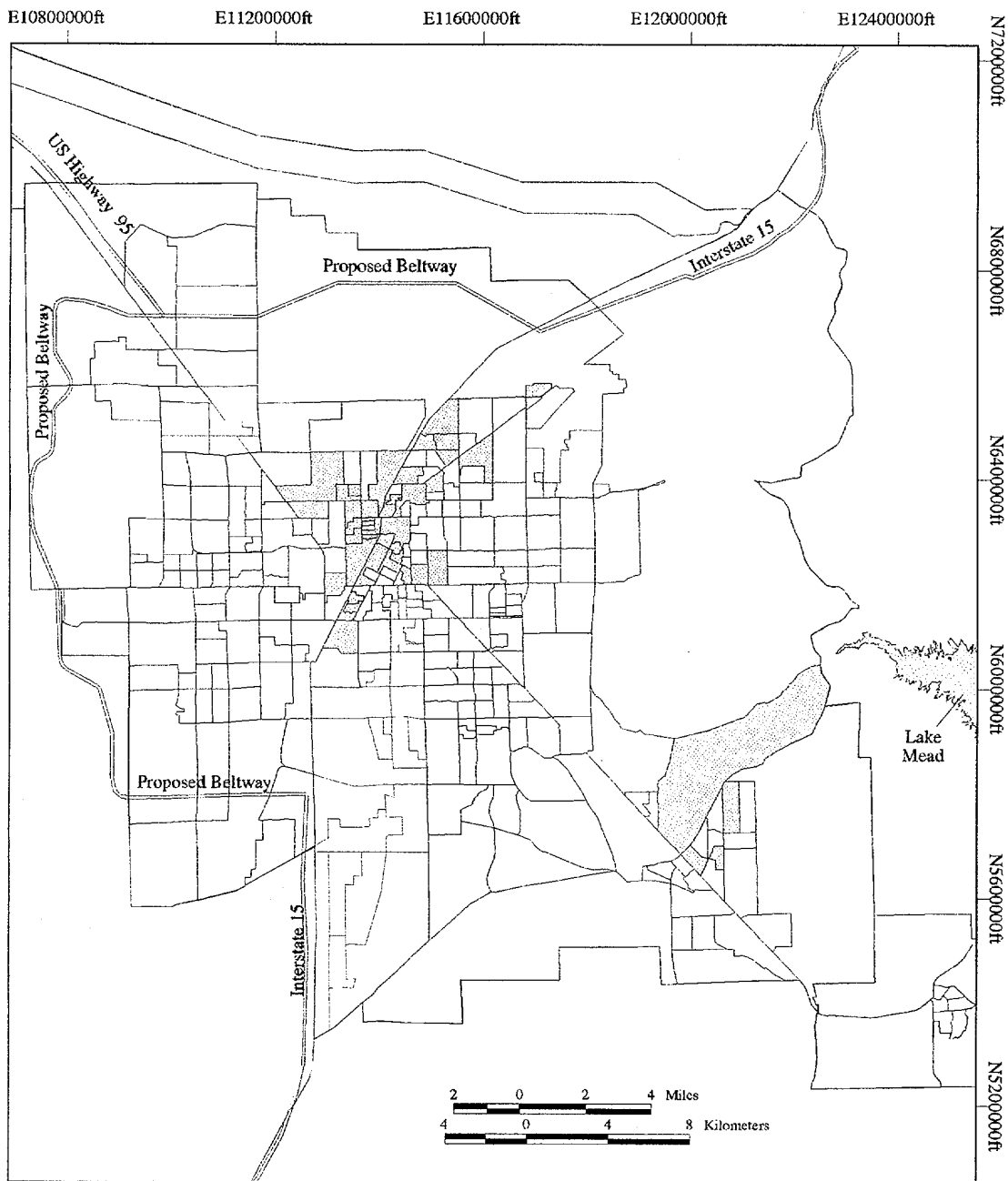
Attached to this memo are four maps, which indicate the percentage poverty and percentage minority by block group in Nevada and Greater Las Vegas. Minority block groups are those which contain 31% or greater minority persons (10 points above the state average of 21.2% minority, rounded downward to the nearest whole). Low income block groups are those which contain 20% or greater persons in poverty, as determined by the Bureau of the Census (10 points above the state average of 10.2% of persons in poverty, rounded downward to the nearest whole). These maps also show potential corridors for rail and heavy haul transportation of spent nuclear fuel to the potential repository at Yucca Mountain. These maps were created and printed on February 16, 1999.

Poverty and minority data comes from the Summary Tape File 3A CD-ROM Lookup, 1990 Census, U.S. Bureau of Census, U.S. Department of Commerce, Washington, DC. Census block group boundaries are from the TIGER/Line[®] Files maintained by the Bureau of the Census.

The following maps are attached:

- Block Groups in Greater Las Vegas with Persons in Poverty Exceeding 20% of Population, YMP-98-050_5.2
- Block Groups in Nevada with Persons in Poverty Exceeding 20% of Population, YMP-98-050_2.2
- Block Groups in Greater Las Vegas with Minority Persons Exceeding 31% of Population, YMP-98-050_4.3
- Block Groups in Nevada with Minority Persons Exceeding 31% of Population, YMP-98-050_1.2

Attachments



Legend

- Census Block Group Boundary
- Potential Heavy Haul Routes
- Potential Rail Transportation Corridor

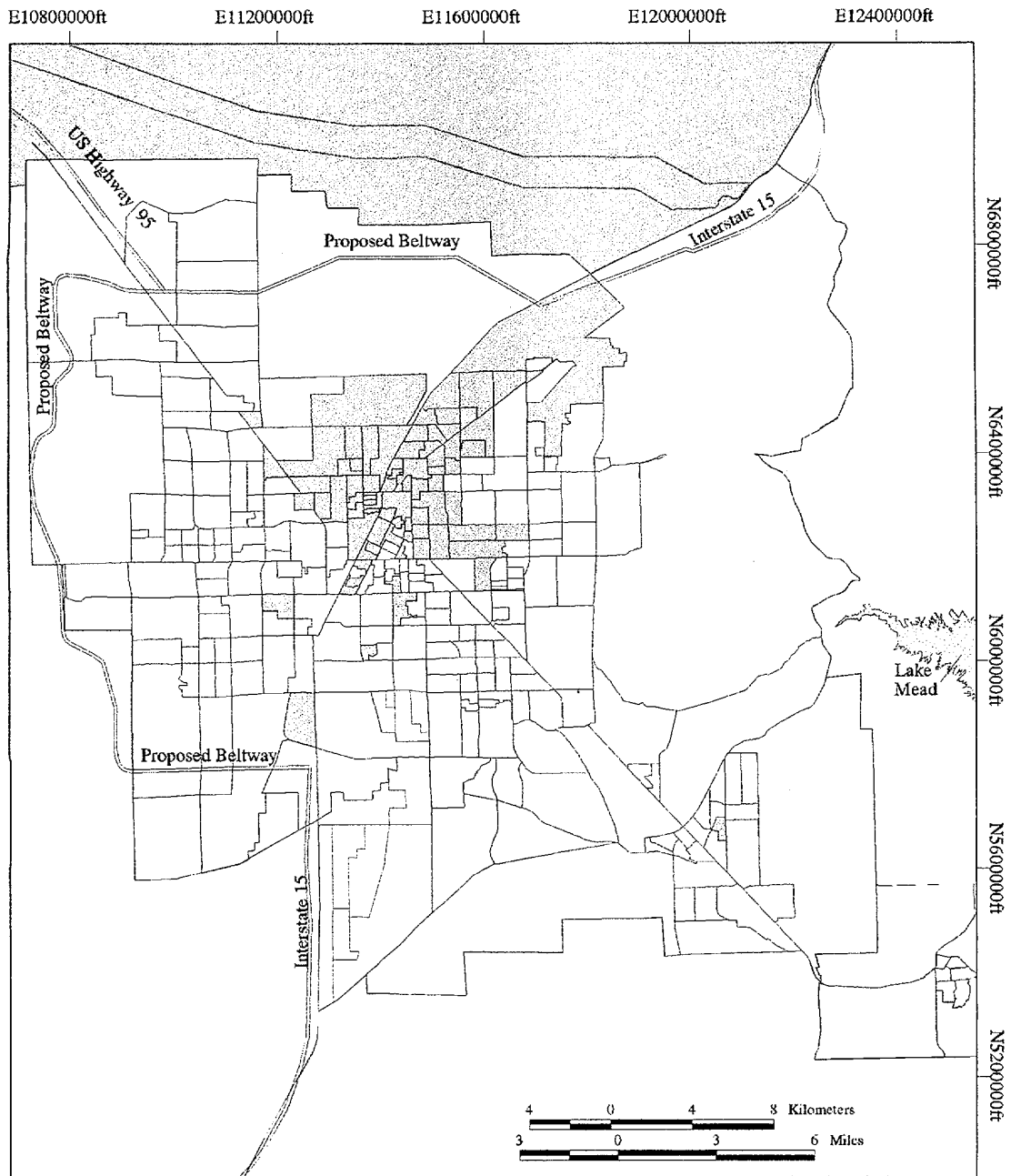
Percentage Poverty per Block Group

- 0 to 20
- 20 to 100



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Block Groups in Greater Las Vegas with Persons in Poverty Exceeding 20% of Population



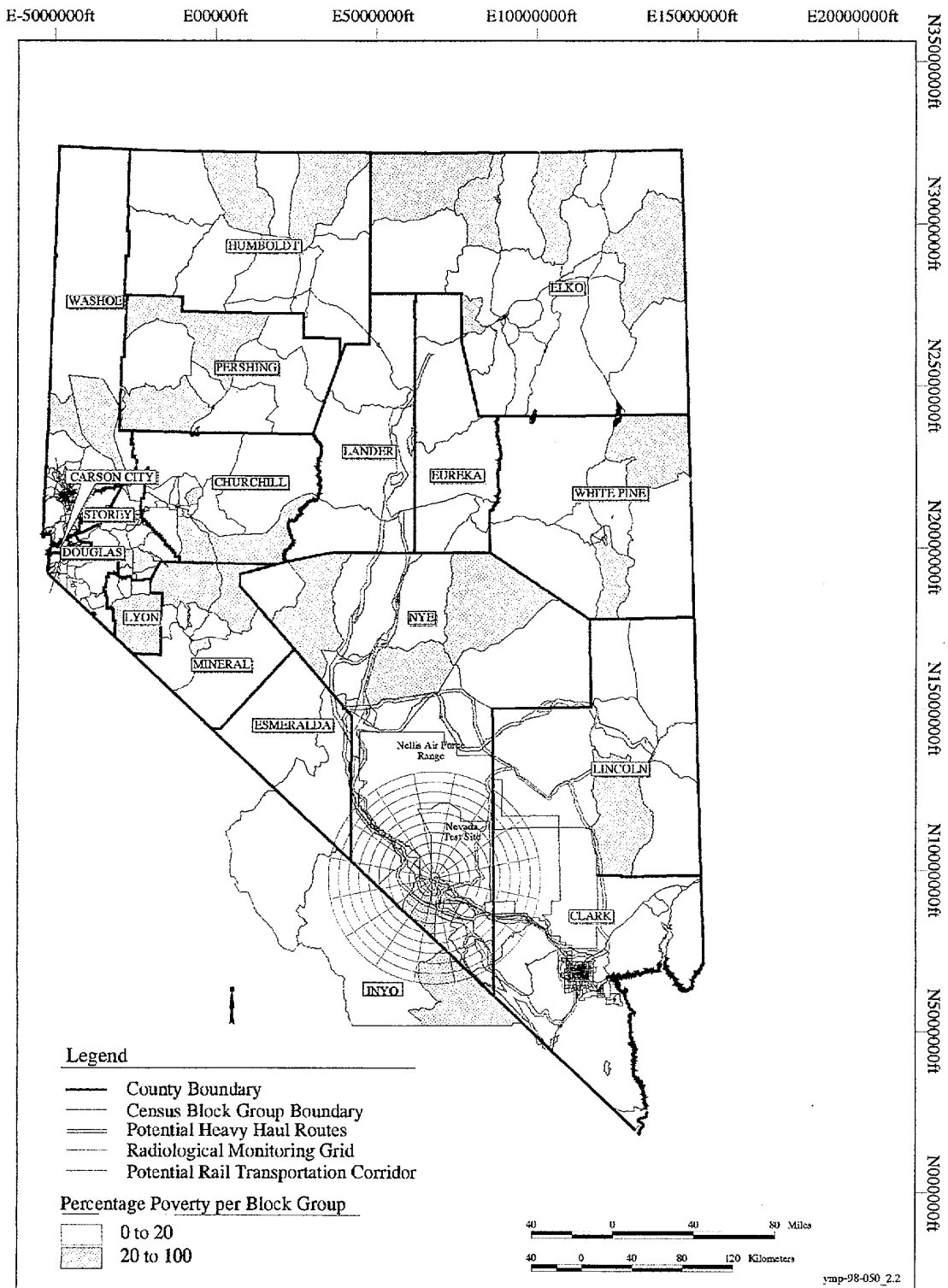
Legend

.....	Census Block Group Boundary	Percentage Minority per Block Group
=====	Potential Heavy Haul Routes	
-----	Potential Rail	0 to 30
-----	Transportation Corridor	31 to 100

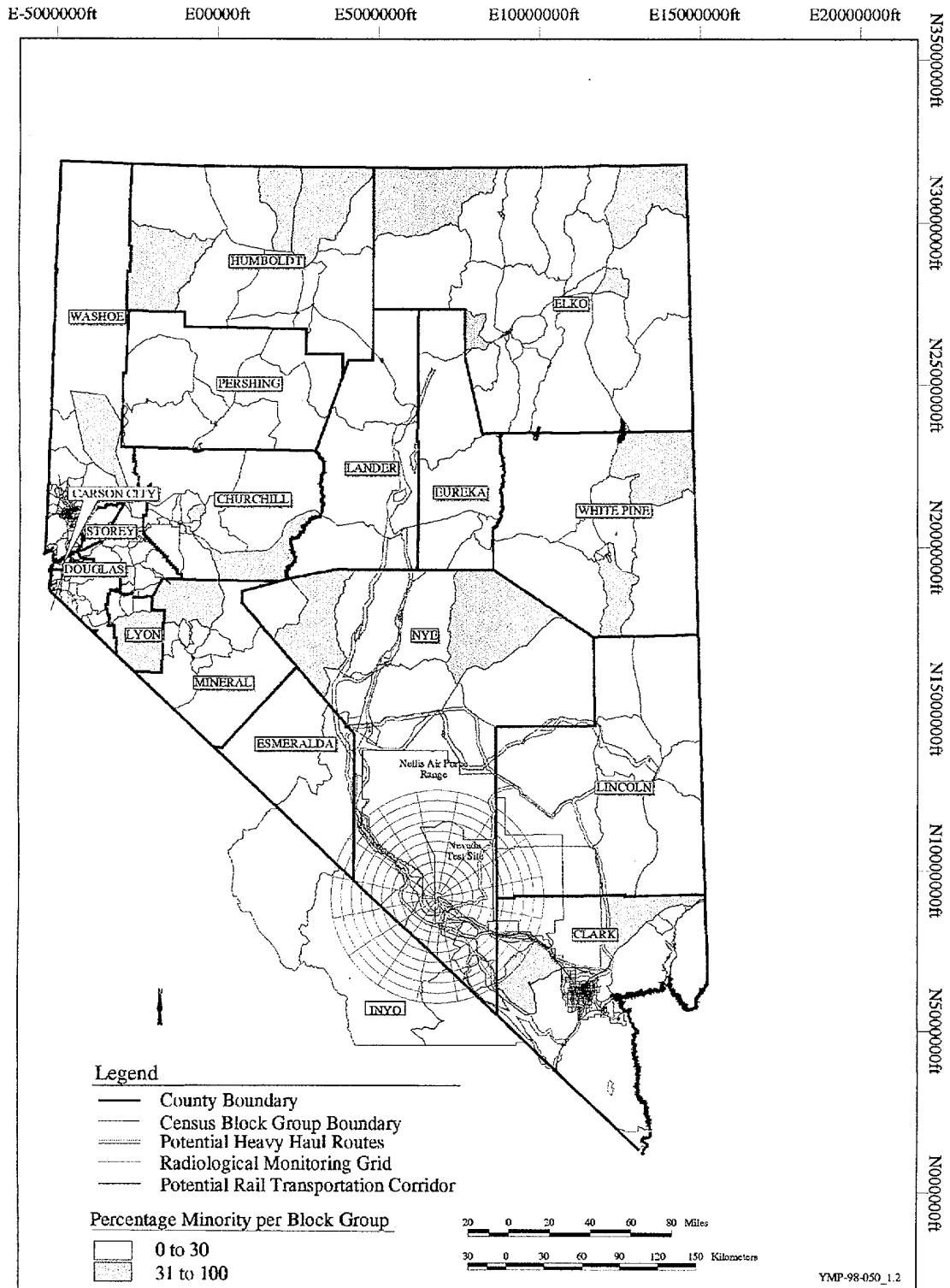


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Block Groups in Greater Las Vegas with Minority Persons Exceeding 31% of Population



Block Groups in Nevada with Persons in Poverty Exceeding 20% of Population



Block Groups in Nevada with Minority Persons Exceeding 31% of Population